

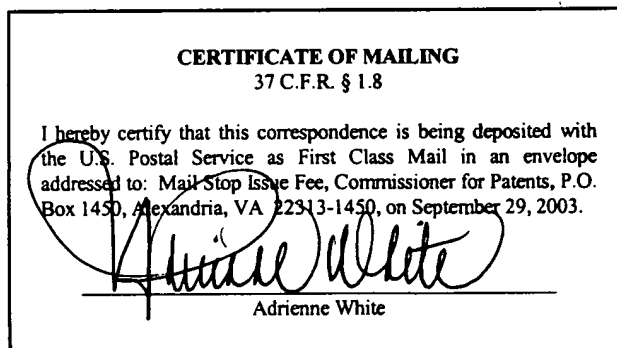
**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicant : Robert J. Klein et al.  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312**

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Dear Commissioner:

This Amendment After Allowance is submitted in response to the "Notice Of Allowance And Issue Fee(s) Due" mailed August 13, 2003.

The Applicants' **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the **Listing of Claims** that begins on page 2 of this paper.

The Applicants' **Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.